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Serial No.: 09/673,798

Art Unit: 1632

Filing Date: October 18, 2000

Examiner: Q. Janice LI

Title: ENHANCING IMMUNE RESPONSES TO GENETIC
IMMUNIZATION BY USING A CHEMOKINE

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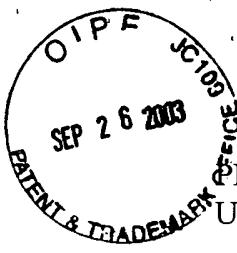
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Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing is an amendment in the above patent application in response to the Final Office Action dated August 13, 2003.

- Petition for Extension of Time enclosed.
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No. of Claims After Amendment			Most Claims Previously Paid			Extra Claim s			Additional Fee		
A. Total Claims	29	-	29	=		x	\$18	=		\$0	
B. Ind. Claims	4	-	3	=		x	\$84	=		\$84	
C. If amended to contain multiple dependent claims, add 280							\$280	=		\$	
D. Total Amendment Fee (Total of A, B & C)								=			
E. If small entity, 50% reduction of Total Amendment Fee (50% of D)								=			
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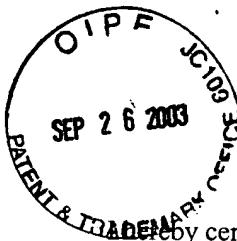
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Respectfully submitted,

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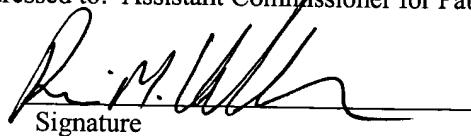


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Sir:

This paper is responsive to the Final Office Action dated August 13, 2003 (Paper No. 14). Because this response is submitted with two months of the date of mailing, namely by October 13, 2003, **expedited procedure after final** is requested.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 5 of this paper.

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